

NINE SHIPS ARE SUNK BY U-BOATS; PRESIDENT HOLDS GERMANY TO PROMISE

Chief Executive Says He Has No Right To Question Germany's Willingness to Fulfill Pledges

3 UNDERWATER BOATS IN ATTACK

Belief Growing Secret Submarine Base off Coast of United States Has Been Established

BOATS MAY HAVE SHIFTED THEIR BASE

All Members of Crew of Sunken Ships and Passengers Have Been Landed, Save One

Washington, Oct. 9.—The U-53 and U-61 have not violated international law. This was stated officially this afternoon following a conference between Secretary of the Navy Daniels and Secretary of State Lansing, concerning the sinking of at least six vessels by the German submarines.

(International News Service.)

Shadow Lawn, Oct. 9.—"The country may rest assured that Germany will be held to its promise," said a statement issued this afternoon by Secretary to the President Tumulty, on the submarine situation. The statement was signed by the president. "The government will of course first inform itself as to all the facts that there be no mistake or doubt so far as they are concerned, and the country may rest assured that the German government will be held to the complete fulfillment of its promises to the government of the United States. I have no right now to question their willingness to fulfill them." The statement was signed Woodrow Wilson.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Oct. 9.—The transfer of Germany's submarine warfare to the Atlantic east of the American coast caused the deepest concern in official circles today. The situation admittedly is nearly the most serious of the present war, so far as the United States is concerned. At any moment the word may come that an American citizen has fallen victim to the new situation, and officials very frankly say that such a development must mean instant dismissal of the German ambassador from the United States.

By direct orders from President Wilson from Shadow Lawn all the high officials here refused to discuss the situation save in the most general terms. The state department has made it plain that so far as the known situation is concerned Germany is as much within her rights in operating her submarines off the New England coast as she was in sinking enemy ships in the waters of the British Isles, so long as the doctrine of visitation and search is observed. But the danger, it is pointed out, is that an American citizen or vessel may yet fall victim.

The danger is very present and real, officials say.

Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, is at Shadow Lawn today, and there is no doubt here that the president will make it plain to him that the bringing of submarine warfare by Germany right to the very doors of the United States is unwelcome. There is little doubt in the minds of officials here that the president will make it plain that while such action may be strictly legal so far as the written law is concerned, it is very close to unfriendly when judged by the complications that may arise.

Officials at the British embassy here refused this morning to make any statement regarding what action may be taken.

Officials again reiterated today that no action would be taken by this government until all the facts are available.

(International News Service.)

Newport, Oct. 9.—Three British cruisers which arrived off Nantuxett shoals today are scouring the Atlantic for the German submarine or submarines that sank at least six merchant ships during the past 36 hours.

A wireless report picked up by the United States destroyer Ericsson that the total number of victims was nine ships had not been confirmed at an early hour.

Reports of further attacks on merchant ships are hourly awaited. Of the score or more of passenger ships in or near the danger zone off the New England coast, 13 are British and two American.

A fleet of United States men-of-war is patrolling the coast to protect the American neutrality. More British warships are expected on the scene.

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For First Time Since the Civil War, "Yankee" Soldiers Parade Streets

For the first time since directly after the civil war the "Yankees" captured Decatur today. They also took Albany, which is as yet too much of a juvenile to have a war record. It was a peaceful invasion this time, for it was one section of the First Connecticut regiment, state guards, that swooped down upon the cities and made themselves at home. They were given as royal a welcome as was possible under the circumstances, for their coming had not been heralded abroad. The regiment came in on the Southern and stopped over for one hour. The men were allowed "shore leave" and were much in evidence on the streets. They took in all the sights. The soldier boys made a gallant appearance, being big strapping fellows who looked fit at any moment for a "fight or a frolic." Major Rau was in command.

There were 400 men in the detachment, which left Nogales, N. M., on last Wednesday night. They are traveling leisurely, and expect to reach their destination Friday.

"That's a good country if you like it—but I don't like it," said one infantryman, in describing the border. "It's too hot down there—they don't have any water to drink. Sometimes it is a whole day before the water is served."

The First Connecticut was stationed directly across the border, in closer conjunction to the Mexicans than any other militia organization. They will be replaced by Alabama troops.

MONEY NEEDED IF FACTORY TO MAKE PRICE WAGONS IS TO BE BUILT HERE

UNLESS STOCK COMPANY IS STARTED NEW WAGON MAY GO TO FLORENCE.

CONCERTED ACTION NEEDED

NEW WAGON SAID TO BE THE CHEAPEST AND BEST EVER PUT ON MARKET.

The factory to manufacture the Price patented wagon will go to Florence unless local citizens begin at once to form a stock company to make the new wagons, according to the indications this morning.

It was said this morning that although much interest has been exhibited in the new farm wagon no concrete efforts have been made to build a factory to manufacture the wagon. Florence and other wagon centers have been deeply interested in the new wagon. Farmers, too, have shown much interest in the wagon and about 100 orders for the wagon were taken at the Morgan county fair at Hartselle a week ago.

Wagon Has Advantages.

It is claimed by John W. Price, the patentee of the wagon and by others who have investigated its merits, that the new wagon is much simpler and cheaper than the old-style wagons. It is claimed that the wagon is also stronger and has a lighter draft. The coupling pole rotates taking off any side strain. The spindle also rotates, making it impossible for it to wear flat. Its axle trees are solid and can be made of any sound timber. It has an adjustable hub that always keeps the spokes in a tight position.

One of the strong features from a business standpoint is that the wagon has a patented life of seventeen years, so there can be no competition in its construction. It is also pointed out that the demand for wagons and other high class farm implements this year far exceeds the supply, so the promoters believe that the output of the local factory would be sold far in advance.

Will Bring Farmers In.

Another strong point of a wagon of such light draft, capable of hauling such a heavy load, is that the farmers will be induced more to come to the city to do their business, as the wagon furnishes them with the cheapest means of transportation.

Just what steps to retain the factory in the Twin Cities will be taken remains to be seen.

GATES REVIVAL HAS MOVED AGAIN

WILL BE CONDUCTED AT SOUTH SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH. TO RAISE \$1,000.

The revival begun by Evangelist Gates at the Central Baptist church, then moved to the Malone garage and later moved back to the church, will be conducted this week at the South Side Baptist church, according to announcement made at last night's service, which was largely attended. So far more than 160 conversions have resulted from the series of meetings, which have entered upon their fourth week.

At the service last night the evangelist spoke of the need of the orphanage which he conducts at Louisville, saying that one of its notes for \$1200 became due on October 1. Pastor Mays, of the Central church, urged the congregation to raise at least \$1,000 to apply on the discharge of this note, as an appreciation of the evangelist's excellent work here.

MAJ. HORTON WAS ONE OF ALABAMA'S MOST BRILLIANT MILITARY CHIEFS

UNTIMELY DEMISE ENDS CAREER OF UNUSUAL IMPORTANCE TO NATIONAL GUARD.

FOUGHT IN SPANISH WAR

WAS ONCE MAJOR BUT RESIGNED TO COME BACK TO HIS OWN COMPANY.

The career of Major Roy Horton of the Fourth regiment, Alabama national guard, who passed away Saturday afternoon, reads like a page torn from the life of a great military hero. Although Major Horton was only 46 years of age he had passed through one war, had served his state as an officer of the national guard for twelve years and was about to go to the Mexican border to patrol the international line with his regiment, when called by an untimely death.

Major Horton first saw service in the Spanish-American war in 1898, when he went to Cuba to free the unhappy Isle from the domination of Spain. He was a sergeant in the Seventy-first New York volunteers when he went into the war, although he rose in rank before the end of the war.

After the war Major Horton was one of the distinguished company of men reviewed by the president on Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, after the thrilling experiences of the United States army in Cuba and Porto Rico.

The glitter and glamor of military life attracted Major Horton after the close of the war and for the past twelve years he has given his life to training the young men of Alabama.

Sacrificed for His Men.

Probably the greatest example of heroic sacrifice in the life of Major Horton took place in 1911 after he had been raised to the rank of major of the Fourth regiment. He had formerly been captain of Company E, the local military organization, and he was sorely missed by his old men. They asked him in a body to resign his rank of major and come back to them. This he did after having served as major for less than one year. He went back to the rank of junior captain of the state.

After five years of service as captain of Company E, Major Horton was destined to again rise to higher rank. When the war cloud appeared this spring on the Mexican border because of the activities of the bandit, Pancho Villa, and the inability of the Mexican de facto government to cope with border outrages, the Alabama troops with other state units were ordered to mobilize at Montgomery, the state capital. With his company of 100 men Captain Horton was the first to be mustered into the service at Montgomery. He remained at the camp only a few weeks before he was raised to the rank of major. This title he held at his death.

Won Many Medals.

Major Horton was not only greatly beloved by his men but he was also popular with his fellow officers. He was recognized as a man with a genius for military organization as well as a man possessing strength in other lines of military endeavor. He earned several medals on the rifle range at Fort Perry on Lake Erie for excellence in marksmanship and was one of the crack sharpshooters of the state. He also maintained a rifle range on the Wilder plantation, of which he was manager, for the use of his men. The company frequently practiced shooting on the farm.

Major Horton was a graduate of the University of Alabama in the old days when the university had a military feature. He won the medal for

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938 LIVES LOST IN TORPEDOING OF FRENCH TRANSPORT 1,400 ARE SAVED

TROOPS FLOAT FOR 12 HOURS BEFORE THEY ARE PICKED UP BY SHIP.

GERMAN U-BOAT IS BLAMED

TORPEDO ENTERS SHIP'S SIDE AND EXPLODES BIG STORE OF POWDER.

(International News Service.)

Paris, Oct. 9.—The French auxiliary cruiser Gallia, 14,966 tons, carrying 2,000 French and Serbian troops, was torpedoed on Oct. 4, it was announced here today. Out of the total, 638 lives were lost.

The remainder of the troops floated about for more than 12 hours before they were picked up by a French cruiser and two large boats.

The torpedo, believed dispatched from a German submarine, entered the big vessel's side and exploded in the munition bunkers, blowing the big ship to atoms. It is believed the Gallia was on its way to Salonika.

Cotton Slumped When U-Boat Got Active

The local cotton market today reflected German U-boat activities off the Atlantic coast. The staple was off 17 points from Saturday's closing, the bears evidently using to good effect the argument that exports to Europe were likely to be cut off by the interference with shipping.

Mrs. Thomas McLemore Dies at Florence Today

Was Formerly Miss Mildred Minor of Trinity and Leaves Many Relatives.

Mrs. Thomas McLemore, formerly Miss Mildred Minor, of Trinity, died this morning at a Florence hospital of typhoid fever. Mrs. McLemore was well known over Morgan county, and leaves a wide circle of friends and relatives to mourn her death.

The body of Mrs. McLemore was brought to Trinity this afternoon to the home of Miss Drew Mosely. The funeral will be held on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from the Mosely home, Dr. J. J. Cornish of St. John's church, officiating. The burial will take place at the Minor cemetery.

Mrs. McLemore was the aunt of Mrs. William Steed of Albany, and had many relatives in the Trinity section of the county.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS' CONFERENCE AT HARTSELLE

A County Officers' Conference is hereby called to meet at Hartselle, Ala., at the Baptist church at 11 a. m., Friday, Oct. 13, 1916, and every county officer is urged to be present, and also anyone who is interested in the great Sunday school work. At this conference the work for the year will be planned.

C. L. Peck, President.
H. L. Turner, Secretary-Treas.

GREEK NAVY HAS JOINED THE ALLIES; MERCHANT SHIPS TOO

Venizelos Gains Further Recruits For His Revolutionary Forces, Says Central News Dispatch

(International News Service.)

London, Oct. 9.—The whole Greek fleet has passed over to the national movement headed by Ex-Premier Venizelos, according to a Central News dispatch from Athens. Greek ship owners have placed 13 steamers at Venizelos' disposal for transporting volunteers to Salonika.

(Note:—It is believed the above dispatch refers to the Greek merchant fleet and not to the navy.)

RUSSIAN TROOPS PENETRATE TEUTON LINES SEVERAL TIMES

(International News Service.)

Petrograd, Oct. 9.—Russian troops fighting in southern Volhynia penetrated the Teuton lines at several points and consolidated their positions, the war office announced today. An advanced Austrian trench was captured west of Brzozow, Galicia, where the Russians are trying to break through to Lemberg. Fifty-eight sailing vessels were destroyed by Russian torpedo craft in the Black sea.

THREE MORE VILLAGES WRESTED FROM BULGARS.

(International News Service.)

London, Oct. 9.—Three more villages were wrested from the Bulgarians by the British on the Struma, forming the right wing of the allied army in Macedonia, the war office announced today.

BOARD OF DEACONS MEET.

The board of deacons of Westminster Presbyterian church will have their regular monthly meeting at the church on Tuesday evening at 7:30. All the deacons are urged to be present. Important business.

C. W. STEVENSON IS BURIED TODAY

INTERMENT WAS AT HARTSELLE, HIS FORMER HOME. DIED AT NASHVILLE.

(Special to The Daily.)

Hartselle, Ala., Oct. 9.—Two special coaches conveying the remains of Charles W. Stevenson and the funeral party of railroad officials, relatives and friends, arrived here at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. The body was taken directly to the cemetery for interment. Mr. Stevenson is survived by two nieces here, Misses Eloise and Maness Riddle, and by other relatives.

Funeral services were held at Hartselle today for Charles W. Stevenson, who died Sunday at a Nashville infirmary. Mr. Stevenson formerly resided at Hartselle, and had many relatives there.

Regarding his death, the Nashville Tennessean and American today says:

Charles W. Stevenson, aged 49 years, died at a local infirmary Sunday afternoon at 2:50 o'clock following an illness of two weeks. In his death Nashville loses one of her best known and most popular citizens, and the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railway one of its most efficient and loyal employees.

Mr. Stevenson had been subject to stomach trouble for several years and two weeks ago went to the hospital for an operation. While the operation was regarded as serious, his friends had begun to hope for his ultimate recovery until a turn for the worse a few days ago made a second operation

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BOSTON COPS SECOND GAME IN 14 INNING BATTLE

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Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

(International News Service.)

Boston, Oct. 9.—The foregoing score tells the story of the second game of the 1916 world's series fought stubbornly here today in the presence of nearly 40,000 wild and frenzied fans. The game was played in threatening weather, and for the first few innings rain seemed destined to send the crowds home with their appetites for a decisive contest unappeased.

Manager Carrigan sent Ruth to the hill for the home team, while Brooklyn pinned its hopes on the box work of Smith. In the initial inning Center Fielder Myers touched the crack Boston southpaw for a circuit clout, the first of the series. In the third inning Boston tied the score when Scott tripped to left and only the

rebound saved the hit from being a home run. He came home on a sacrifice by Thomas.

For ten long innings neither team scored. Then in the fourteenth, after Hobby had walked and advanced to second on Lewis' sacrifice, Gainer batted for Gardner. For once the pinch hitter hit, and McNally, running for Hobby, scored on Gainer's single, breaking up the longest game ever played in a world's series.

Boston, Oct. 9.—The line-up today: Brooklyn—Johnson, rf.; Daubert, lb.; Myers, cf.; Wheat, lf.; Mowrey, 3b.; Olson, ss.; Miller, c.; Smith, p.

Boston—Hooper, rf.; Janvryn, 2b.; Walker, cf.; Hohlzel, lb.; Lewis, lf.

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Government Engineers Advise Uncle Sam to Co-operate in Harnessing Muscle Shoals

Washington, Oct. 9.—Government engineers, in a report to the secretary of war, made public Saturday, unanimously recommended co-operation between the government and the Muscle Shoals Hydro-Electric company in the development of latent water power at Muscle Shoals and in making the Tennessee river navigable.

The recommendation is made, provided Muscle Shoals is not selected as the site of the government's \$20,000,000 nitrate plant, which will be constructed. The report of the engineers

is expected to put Muscle Shoals in a still more favorable light in the consideration of a site for the nitrate plant.

Under the recommendation it is deemed possible that if Muscle Shoals is not selected for the site for the nitrate plant, its development through government co-operation with private capital will follow. The investigation of the engineers was made as a result of a resolution carrying \$450,000 secured by Senator Bankhead in 1915.

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For Circuit Court Clerk—James L. Draper.

For Tax Assessor—Frank J. Troup.
For Tax Collector—Chas. C. Robertson.

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MAJ. ROY HORTON.

When Major Roy Horton "crossed over the river" Saturday, military circles of the state suffered a distinct loss, Albany and Decatur were deprived of their foremost man of military affairs, and Company "E" was bereaved by the passing of the one officer to whom it owed its organization and its efficiency.

The death of Maj. Horton was peculiarly sad—he passed in the prime of life and almost on the very day that his command was ordered to entrain for more strenuous duty on the border. The stern service of the front which appealed to his martial soul, was in sight. The chance, perhaps, of a lifetime, had come. He was ready for the duty—ready to serve his country and to give up his life for it. That he was "picked off" by the Grim Reaper was the irony of fate. It was the will of a higher providence that knoweth best.

The citizens of this community believed that Roy Horton was destined to achieve fame if he should ever be afforded an opportunity to show his mettle on the field of battle. Just as some men are born to shine in the ranks of literature, of art, or in some of the other professions or callings, Major Horton was moulded the perfect pattern of the fighting man. Of robust physique, indomitable courage, and unyielding will, he had all the characteristics of that type of southerner who in days gone by won distinction through military leadership.

To Major Horton must be given entire credit for holding together through dull days of peace the local unit of the Alabama National Guard. But few men ever volunteered for service with Company "E" who did not first inquire if "Captain" Horton, as he was best known, would stick to the organization to the last. His assurance that he would do so was the incentive that prompted ready enlistment. His devotion to his company was shown years ago when he surrendered high rank and became the junior captain in the service of the state in order that he might again be at the head of his "boys."

A veteran of the Spanish-American war, almost a pioneer in the service of the Alabama National Guard, Major Horton had seen more continuous service, perhaps, than any other officer in the commonwealth.

Most men in laying down their life's work have the consolation of knowing that others can take it up where they left off. There is no one who can fill the place that Major Horton has left vacant here.

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ANOTHER COUNTY HEARD FROM

The Reporter does not wish to be placed in the attitude of "bating in" on outside affairs, but it desires to add its endorsement to the candidacy of T. H. Alexander for the postmaster of New Decatur of Albany. Mr. Alexander is a democrat of the old school, a newspaperman of experience and knowledge, being at present associate editor of the Albany-Decatur Daily, one of the brightest little dailies of the state, and is in every way qualified to fill the office should he be appointed. We have heard of no opposition to Mr. Alexander's appointment, and presume there will be none. The people of New Decatur we feel sure, will second his nomination, and we know the press of the Eighth district will applaud Congressman Almon should he named him to succeed Mr. McMillan. Here's hoping, Alex—Colbert County Reporter.

JULIAN RISES TO REMARK.

T. H. Alexander, of the Albany-Decatur Daily, is an applicant for the office of postmaster of Albany. The Daily states that Mr. Alexander will have the endorsement of Congressman Almon, and this practically assures his appointment. The Standard most heartily endorses Mr. Alexander for the position. He is well fitted for the discharge of the duties of the office, and is a most excellent newspaper man, and this fact should have weight with the appointing power. Here's hoping, Alex—Sheffield Standard.

We are glad to see another Tennessee Valley newspaper man in line for a good government position. We allude to T. H. Alexander of the Albany-Decatur Daily, who is an applicant for the position of postmaster of Albany, which was formerly New Decatur. Here's hoping he lands the place without a bobble, for if the federal jobs are earned by anybody in the world under a democratic administration, it is the newspaper men—Sectisboro Progressive Age.

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Averages of the Sunday Schools of the Decaturs. This report will be published each week:

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SCHOOL	Total Enrolled	No. Present	Per Cent
First Baptist, Decatur	124	115	845
Central Baptist, Albany	246	150	609
Baptist South Albany	260	140	539
Baptist, East Albany	137	127	927
First Christian, Albany	82	55	670
First Methodist, Decatur	293	160	576
Central Methodist, Albany	435	271	623
Ninth Street Methodist, South Albany	145	101	696
First Presbyterian, Decatur	110	53	481
West Side Presbyterian, West Albany	194	82	422
Westminster Presb't'n, Albany	135	114	829
Willoughby Presbyterian, South Albany	135	109	822
St. John Episcopal	70	35	500
Salvation Army Decatur-Albany			
Jackson St. Church of Christ	85	76	870
Berean Sunday-School			
Fairview Baptist S. S. School			

LET EXPERIENCE DECIDE HERE

After all, this discussion of the question of whether it is wise to yield to force and enact legislation before investigation leads us back to the old and liberally discussed maxim, "The end justifies the means." President Wilson's defense is that the enactment of the eight-hour law prevented a disastrous strike, the adjective being especially applicable. His learned opponent, steeped in the law, takes positive issue with him, insisting that arbitration should have been forced.

Alas, nothing definite is to be picked from these polemics. It is, therefore, suggested that one of experience, Theodore Roosevelt, be asked to sit in judgment upon the sole issue of whether it is proper to suspend the usual course of government to inhibit an injury to public welfare.

It is one of the delightful reminiscences of Mr. Roosevelt's political history that upon one occasion a party of powerful financiers called upon him at the White House for his aid in the task of paralyzing an embryonic panic in Wall street. They represented to him that if the Steel Corporation was not permitted, without interference on the part of the federal government, to take over the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company, a powerful rival, a volcanic upheaval would take place in New York banks and brokerage houses. They feared, it seems, the stern application of the anti-trust law.

How the then president quieted their fears and how the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company was absorbed quietly and expeditiously is explained by him in detail in a charming and interesting manner. It was not, as might be supposed, a yielding to force, but a deference to reason. If the Sherman law was enforced there would be a frightful welter in the financial world. Ergo, the law should be temporarily suspended. Without the slightest hesitation the suspensory action was taken, and ever after it was defended against harsh and ill-natured criticism which sometimes impugned the good faith of a great man.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Board of Education will meet at Hartselle on Tuesday, Oct. 17, to apportion the state funds.

J. C. TIDWELL,
County Supt. of Education.

NINE SHIPS ARE SUNK BY U-BOAT; PRESIDENT HOLDS GERMANY TO

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(International News Service.)

Newport, Oct. 9.—The British passenger ship Stephano was sunk by the German submarine U-61 according to Miss Mary Griffin, of Thorton, R. I.

Miss Griffin upon her arrival here was taken to the home of Mrs. French Vanderbilt.

If Miss Griffin's information is correct it shows that Germany has sent at least two submarines to American waters. The other is the U-53.

THREE SUBMARINES WERE ENGAGED IN BIG RAID.

(International News Service.)

Newport, Oct. 9.—Three German submarines of the superdreadnaught type were in the raid in which six and possibly nine merchant ships were sent to the bottom of the Atlantic off the New England coast. Two of the submarines have been identified as the U-53 and the U-61. Belief is growing that the Germans have established a secret submarine base on the American coast.

PRESIDENT WANTS DATA.

(International News Service.)

Shadow Lawn, Oct. 9.—President Wilson today telegraphed to the navy department for every scrap of information regarding the sinking of merchant ships off the New England coast.

SHIPPING VALUED AT

\$6,000,000 SENT TO BOTTOM.

(International News Service.)

New York, Oct. 9.—Shipping valued approximately at \$6,000,000 was sent to the bottom in a few hours in the first German submarine foray off the United States coast.

As a result of German U-boat operations off Nantucket, the International Merchant Marine today sent word to its agents commanding that all steamships of the company flying the British flag remain in port until further notice. The company has cancelled all European sailings for the present.

ALL PASSENGERS LANDED

SAVE FROM ONE SHIP.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Oct. 9.—In a summary of the various reports from Rear Admiral Knight, commandant at Newport, made public by the navy department, it was stated that all the passengers and crews of the steamers sunk by German submarines have now been landed, with the exception of the crew of the steamer Kingston. The latter's crew is said to be in life boats some 30 miles east of Nantucket, and 17 destroyers are searching for them. Approximately 220 passengers and crews have been landed. They included 33 women and 10 children from the Stephano.

The following were sunk: Strathdene, West Point, Stephano, Kingston, Bloomersdijk, Christian Knubsen.

ABILITY OF U. S. TO KEEP NEUTRAL IN BALANCE.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Oct. 9.—The ability of the United States to maintain its absolute independence and strict neutrality between the European belligerents hung in the balance today.

A situation of extreme tension, created by the submarine activity just outside the three-mile limit, has brought home to President Wilson a situation fraught with gravest peril.

What the outcome would be officials would not hazard a guess today. Though admittedly ill, Secretary Lansing hurried to his desk in the state department.

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Mr. Clopton for the past fifteen years has been in the mercantile business in Huntsville, and until a few days ago was connected with an insurance company in that city. He comes to Decatur highly recommended, and his business experience will be of great assistance in the enlargement of the dairy business.

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(International News Service.)

San Antonio, Oct. 9.—The regime of Carranza in Mexico is doomed, according to military experts at Fort Sam Houston. With Jose Ysabel Robles combing all the opposition, including Villistas, Zapatistas, Legistas and Diazistas and Gen. Obregon turning against the first chief because of his decree ordering the election of a president by congress instead of by popular vote, Carranza apparently has not a leg to stand on.

Instead of Carranza having united all factions against the United States, apparently all the factions are united against Carranza. Mexico's fate rests on Obregon, or on Robles, the experts say.

CARRANZA'S FAMILY IS

COMING TO THE U. S.

(International News Service.)

Atlantic City, Oct. 9.—Advices reaching the United States commissioners here today reported that Gen. Carranza's wife and two daughters are accompanying Ambassador Arrendondo from Mexico City to the United States.

When deliberations were resumed today by the Mexican and United States commissioners it was indicated that the Mexicans will prepare to waive for the present at least the demand for the withdrawal of Pershing's troops.

At the same time there was some ground for the belief that political conditions in Mexico are becoming more unsettled, and that important developments may be anticipated.

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Editor Albany-Decatur Daily:

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....\$345,039.31
Overdrafts.....169.09
Building and Fixtures.....23,052.39
Other Real Estate.....1,681.50
Revenue Stamps.....40.44
U. S. Bonds.....50,000.00
Alabama Bonds.....5,000.00
Stock Fed. Reserve Bank.....3,600.00
Cash in Vault.....\$40,643.69
Due from Banks 104,540.26 145,183.95
5% Redemption Fund.....2,500.00

\$576,266.68

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock.....\$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits.....50,278.68
Reserved for Taxes.....1,065.96
Reserved for Interest.....573.65
Certified Checks.....249.26
Cashiers Checks.....9.30
Due to Banks.....2,807.18
Dividend Checks.....28.00
Circulation.....49,100.00
Deposits.....372,154.65

\$576,266.68

SOCIETY

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ODOM-WHATLEY.

At Hillsboro, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, occurred one of those beautiful home weddings at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Odom, when they gave in marriage their daughter, Miss Myrtle, to Mr. Fred Whatley, of Statesboro, Ga.

The living room, where the vows were pledged, was, for this occasion, darkened and decorated with ivy and Jackson vines; vases of pink roses made pretty dashes of color, revealed by the soft light shed from many glowing candles. At one side was a bow window, the arch of this draped with vines, and from the center depended a large white wedding bell, white pedestals supporting many branched candelabra, which made a trying place of this niche.

Prenuptial numbers were charmingly rendered by Miss Ruth Odom, accompanied by Miss Corrine Dobbins. To the strains of the grand old wedding march the bridal party entered and grouped themselves in the archway. The maid, Miss Nell Jones, of Statesboro, Ga., handsome in pink taffeta, girdled with velvet and roses topped by tulle and wearing a picture hat, an arm bouquet of white roses completing this creation, entered first, with Geo. Boyd, of Statesboro, followed by the groom and his best man, Mr. Paul Whatley, dean of Bessie-Chiff College, Athens, Ga. The bride, chic in a tailored broadcloth suit of golden brown and wearing a hat with touches of gold, carrying a shower of Valley lilies, entered with her maid of honor, Miss Marie Smith, who was gowned in pink satin and silver lace, carrying an old-fashioned hat basket of roses. Grouped under the arch, the nuptial party was met by Rev. Geo. E. Boyd, pastor of the First M. E. church of Florence. While the solemn ceremony was said soft music thrilled on the air.

Mr. and Mrs. Whatley left immediately after the ceremony for points south. An unusually handsome array of presents attested the popularity of the couple. They will be at home at Statesboro, Ga., after the fifteenth. Mr. Whatley occupies a responsible position in the United States agricultural department.

The out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Odom, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Camp, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hutchison; Misses Wheeler, of Wheeler Station, and Mrs. Staten of Florence.

RAINEY-SAWYERS.

Mr. J. Thomas Rainey and Mrs. Alice Sawyers were married yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the Manse, on Sherman street, Rev. E. Lyssander Grau officiating. After a few days out of the city Mr. and Mrs. Rainey will be at home in their apartment on Second avenue. Their many friends will wish for them much happiness.

CHICKEN SUPPER.

On Thursday from 5 to 6 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. the ladies of the Westminster Presbyterian church will serve one of their time-honored chicken suppers—everyone attends and is certainly satisfied with the delicious other things beside chicken that they serve. This menu is just a little better than any yet.

MOVIE PARTY.

Miss Sadie May Speake entertained at a movie party on Saturday in compliment to her guests, Misses Josie Vines and Celia Hamlet, of Tusculum. The young girls composing the party were as follows: Evelyn Wade, Ruby White, Willie Feist Price, Mildred Hodges, Lois Brown, Mary Chapel Rodgers, Mary Harvey and Lucile Patterson.

COTACO LITERARY.

Because of the absence from the city of Mrs. Jerre Clark, Mrs. W. B. Robertson will be hostess to the Cotaco Literary club on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Caroline Teague, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is doing nicely at the Benevolent hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo W. Calvin, of Selma, Ala., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Calvin, returned home this morning.

Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Hughes returned Saturday from Trinity mountain. Mrs. Hughes leaving today for a week's stay in Birmingham. Dr. Hughes is much improved in health.

Mrs. Taylor, of Tennessee, has leased the home of Dr. T. G. Hughes on Jackson street.

Miss Mary Myrtle Craig, of Pulaski, spent the week-end in Decatur as the guest of her brother, Percy Craig.

CLUB CALENDAR.

Monday.

Missionary Society of Central Methodist church—Lecture room.

Tuesday.

Woman's Literary Club—Mrs. J. W. Troy.

Wednesday.

Cotaco Literary—Mrs. W. B. Robertson.

Married Ladies' Bridge—Mrs. E. Crawford.

Berean—Mrs. D. D. McGhee.

Thursday.

U. D. C.—Mrs. Peden.

Auction Bridge—Mrs. H. N. Binford.

Chicken Supper, 5 to 8, at Y. M. C. A.

Friday.

School Improvement—Science room.

Saturday.

Silk Stocking Club.

PRESIDENT'S DAY.

"President's Day," the initial meeting of the 1916-17 club year, was observed Saturday with the president, Mrs. W. C. Bailey, gowned in white lace through which peeped white satin, standing in her rose-decorated entertaining suite, received her guests. Seven tables for rook were arranged and in the game Mrs. William Wyker won the prize. After the presentation, assisted by Mesdames E. D. and Wilbur Bailey, Ed Polhill, Preult Cartwright and Foster H. Pointer, a dainty salad course was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Robinson and Miss Italene Holesapple motored last week to Demopolis for a ten days' stay.

Mrs. A. C. Hutchinson has returned from Hillsboro, where she attended the Odom-Whatley nuptials.

Mrs. F. O. Borton, of Cullman, was operated on at the Benevolent hospital this morning.

Mrs. Hal Mullen has returned from a visit to friends at Hartselle.

Mrs. Jerre Clark will leave for Huntsville Wednesday to attend the W. C. T. U. convention as a delegate from the Albany-Decatur organization.

Mrs. Herbert Odom joined Mr. Odom at Chattanooga Saturday and accompanied him to Cincinnati, returning on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cottrell and son will leave for Birmingham Tuesday. While there they will be the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Trimble are attending the fair at Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Halbrooks and daughter, Inez, will leave for Birmingham Tuesday to attend the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Edwards were the guests Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Cornish, en route to Birmingham.

Mrs. Schmitz, of Maryville, Ohio, will arrive Tuesday to be with Mrs. Roy Horton in this her hour of trouble.

Miss Ethel Carson, who has been the guest of Mrs. Lamar Penney, has returned to her home.

Miss Glenn Lille, who spent the week-end with Miss Marjorie Miller, left today for Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cortner were called to Nashville Saturday night by the critical illness there of their sister, Mrs. Thomas A. Bowles, who is at the Woman's hospital for treatment. Mr. Bowles, who spent the week-end at his wife's bedside, will return to Nashville tonight.

BIRTH.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Martin, 323 Fourth avenue, west, a girl.

BIRTH.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Samuel, Fifth avenue, west, a daughter—Martha Elizabeth.

BIRTH.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Goode, today, a boy.

The ladies of Westminster Presbyterian church will give a chicken dinner at the Y. M. C. A. October 12th. Will begin serving at 5 o'clock p. m. to accommodate all those wishing to attend revival services. Price 35c.

Strangers get your social rating from your calling cards. See the line of engraved cards for men and women at the Daily office. We keep up with the styles.

PERSONALS

Allan Jamison and Arthur Tubb, Birmingham business men, were here Saturday.

Maj. W. R. Francis has recovered sufficiently from a recent illness to return to his home.

Roy Kelley, of Dallas, Texas, visited homefolks Sunday.

James T. Guyer is in Birmingham this week attending court.

Alexander Peden, who is attending the Massey school at Pulaski, Tenn., spent the week-end with home folks.

Baynard Malone, Jr., and George Todd attended the state fair at Birmingham Saturday.

Postmaster Claude McMillan has returned from a trip to Washington.

Horace Kelly, of Sheffield, visited relatives here on Sunday.

'AMUSEMENTS

MUSICAL COMEDY CO.

AT MASONIC THEATRE.

The Southland Beauties Musical

Comedy Company, which opens a week's engagement at the Masonic theatre today, comes highly recommended as being one of the best attractions playing tabloid musical comedy on the Greenwood circuit. This company is headed by Sugarfoot Gaffney, a black face comedian of exceptional ability. Another prominent in the cast is Gene Gomez, female impersonator, late of the Liberty Girls' Eastern Wheel Burlesque Company. Others are Chas. Brewer, well-known throughout the south; Ben Reed, Bernie Ward, Babe Leone, Carrie Brewer and a chorus of pretty and shapely girls, handsomely costumed, that can sing and dance.

An excellent picture program, featuring Edward Arnold and Elizabeth Burbridge, will be shown. A new show will be presented each night during the week's engagement.

C. W. STEVENSON IS BURIED TODAY

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necessary. This was performed Saturday and he gradually sank until death came. In sickness as in life he was cheerful and bore his suffering with fortitude.

He began his railroad career with the N. C. & St. L. thirty years ago, entering the service as a clerk in the local freight office under George S. Litton. By application to his work he gradually rose to the place of assistant auditor of receipts, and nine years ago was made auditor of receipts, which position he held until his death. In the railroad world he was regarded as an efficient, painstaking official and held the respect and love of his associates to a man. He was of a sunny disposition, and had the happy faculty of making and retaining friendships, and was held in the highest esteem by his associates in the accounting department and by his superiors.

He is survived by his daughter, Miss Lillian Stevenson, and by two half brothers, one of whom resides in Arkansas and the other in Alabama. His father and mother, Dr. E. D. Stevenson and Mrs. Minerva Stevenson, died some years ago and the body will be taken to Hartselle, Ala., for burial in the family burying ground Monday.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday night at 9 o'clock from the chapel of Dorris, Karsch & Co. The service was in charge of Dr. James I. Vance, of the First Presbyterian church, of which Mr. Stevenson was a member. The music was by Mrs. Graham Hall, Mrs. O. B. Washington and Mrs. Josephine Evans, with Mrs. F. W. Kelsey accompanist.

Mr. Stevenson was a member of the Elks lodge and a delegation from this organization attended the services. He was also a member of the Royal Arcanum and the Commercial club.

The following friends and associates were pallbearers: Honorary—John A. Baxter, David J. Kuhn, R. G. Armstrong, Dr. J. T. Menees, Nat Griffin, Hal Mustain, Lou Sigman and Dave Cline.

Active—E. W. Kelsey, B. C. Kreig, C. U. Kreig, Jr., Roy W. Smith, A. P. Ottarson, R. T. Saunders, A. C. Taylor and Henry G. Maney.

The body was taken to Hartselle, Ala., this morning, leaving at 8:30 o'clock over the L. & N. Two special cars conveyed the friends and relatives.

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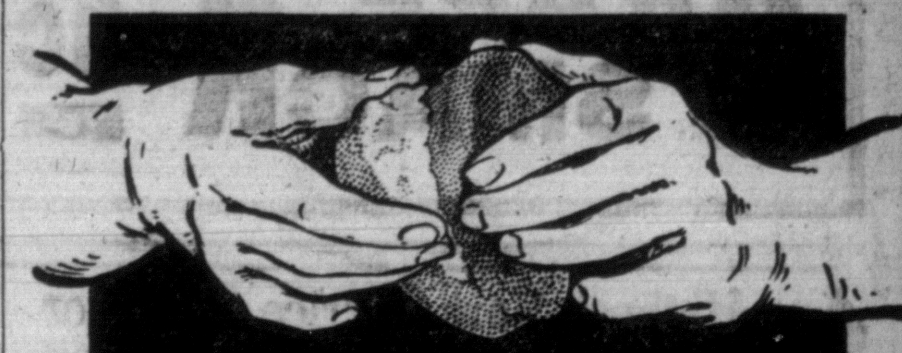
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MAJ. HORTON WAS ONE OF ALABAMA'S

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three years as the best drilled cadet in the school.

Aside from his military activities, Major Horton was a planter all his life, being the manager of the celebrated Wilder plantation, one of the largest plantations in the state of Alabama. He was born in Ohio Oct. 24, 1869, and was brought to Alabama when only one year of age. He was the son of Mrs. Rachel Horton, who lived here many years. Major Horton is survived by his wife and one sister, Mrs. W. B. Edmundson.

Military Funeral Is Planned.

Local military men are planning a military funeral for Major Horton on Tuesday afternoon despite the fact that the Fourth regiment is mobilizing for border duty. Lieut. Tisdale, of Company E, Fourth regiment, returned Sunday. Five privates of Company E also returned. They are Privates Erwin, Easterwood, Sawyers, Garris and Southern. These soldiers obtained leave of absence from the camp as soon as they learned of the death of Major Horton, their old commander. The troops had not been paid off at the time, but the boys were not daunted and made their way as best they could from Montgomery so anxious were they to pay tribute to their beloved leader. Lieut. Tisdale will command a firing squad at the funeral, and taps for the fallen chieftain will be sounded.

The funeral service will be held at St. John's Episcopal church Tuesday afternoon and the interment will take place at City cemetery.

Bade Wife Goodbye Last.

Although Major Horton was ap-

parently strong almost to the week of his death, his early demise from a stomach trouble was expected by his family. When he began to grow weaker Saturday he had his farm workers called in and bade them goodbye, speaking a few words to each. Then he told his family goodbye and last his wife. A few minutes after speaking to his wife, he passed away quietly.

NOTICE OF PARTIAL SETTLEMENT

State of Alabama, Morgan County.
Probate Court, Sept. 25, 1916.
Estate of Pritchett, Lilly and Robert Hollomon.

Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that Mrs. Lilly Daniel as guardian of the estates of Pritchett Hollomon, Robert Hollomon and Lilly Hollomon Leeves has filed her accounts and vouchers for the partial settlement of her guardianship of said estate and that the 23d day of Oct., 1916, has been set as the day for hearing such settlement, at which time you can appear and contest said settlement.

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G. O. P. SPEAKERS OPEN CAMPAIGN

At the meeting of the Hughes and Hutchens club at the county court house Saturday night, Hon. W. T. Hutchens, of Huntsville, republican candidate for congress against Judge Almon, was the guest of honor.

A. G. Bethard, who presided over the meeting, introduced Mr. Hutchens as the first speaker, saying of him: "He has the implicit confidence of all who know him and is in every way qualified for the office to which he aspires."

The republican candidate said of Judge Almon: "He is a good man, this I know. He is a democrat, however, and while this is no sin, it is an awful error."

This remark was greeted with good humor and applause by the audience, which was evidently republican in its sympathy. The speaker stressed the necessity of a wholesome division among the voters. He said he wanted this thought to find lodgement—that much of the political corruption was directly traceable to one-party rule. The republican party was declared to be the big business party of the nation. The democratic party was characterized as built on sentiment and premature judgment, especially in the South.

"Concentrated capital," as Mr. Hutchens called large concerns, "needed more encouragement; that as a nation we were about to commit the folly of 'killing the goose that laid the golden egg.'"

The candidate for probate judge of Morgan county, who was scheduled for a speech, was not present, and Geo. O. Chenault was the next speaker. Mr. Chenault expressed disappointment at the candidates not being present. After his address he was the author of a resolution which was unanimously adopted, expressing it is the sense and desire of the Hughes and Hutchens club that the Morgan county candidates make a speaking campaign of the county before the election in November. Mr. Chenault stressed the moral effect that it would have on this section and others of the south if the electorate was more evenly divided.

William Mosely, former postmaster of Decatur, made the final speech. His was a ringing call to republicans to "get busy." He said Col. Roosevelt in 1914 carried several boxes in Morgan county and that Hughes could reduce the democratic majority very materially, if his supporters would get out and work for him.

After some discussion on proposed amendments to the state constitution, on motion of Secretary Walker the meeting adjourned subject to the call of President Bethard.

SUCCESSFUL FAIR IN MORGAN COUNTY

Circular letters embracing a portion of the weekly report of Col. James T. High, county agricultural agent of Morgan county, are being sent out to all of the county agents by C. M. Mauldin, district agent. In his report Mr. High gives a description of the Morgan county fair and some of the results shown by the farmers there, paying a high tribute to them, says the Birmingham Ledger.

Mr. High is regarded as one of the liveliest agricultural agents in the state and excellent work has been done in Morgan county.

The letter from Mr. High being sent out by Mr. Mauldin is in part as follows:

"As a whole, I think our fair was a success. The agricultural exhibits were very good for the year. We had seven community exhibits which practically filled the hall. I was certainly pleased to see the farmers take more interest in the community exhibit than in the individual exhibits. This is the first time to have the community general exhibits, and all said that the agricultural exhibits were better than they ever were. We arranged so the prizes offered in these exhibits would have to go for the buying of a community library to be located at the community school. First prize, \$50; second prize, \$30; and third prize, \$20."

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

State of Alabama, Morgan County.
Probate Court, Sept. 25th, 1916.
Estate of Mrs. Harriet C. Hollomon Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that Mrs. Lilly Daniel as executrix of the will of Mrs. Harriet C. Hollomon, deceased, has filed her accounts and vouchers for the final settlement of her administration of said estate and that the 23d day of October, 1916, has been set as the day for hearing such settlement, at which time you can appear and contest said settlement.

WM. E. SKEGGS,
Judge of Probate.

Boston Cops Second Game 14 Inning Battle

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Gardner, 3b.; Scott, ss.; Thomas, c.; Ruth, p.

First Inning.

Brooklyn—Johnson flied out to Walker; Daubert flied out to Gardner; Myers hits home run to center field; Wheat out on long fly to Hooper.

Boston—Hooper out, Smith to Daubert; Janvrin out on fly to Myers; Walker flied out to Daubert.

Second Inning.

Brooklyn—Cutshaw thrown out at first; Lewis singles through short; Gardner forced Lewis to second; Mowrey to Olson. The decision by Quakley brought a roar of protest from the stands. Gardner caught napping at first, Miller to Daubert.

Boston—Hobbitzel thrown out at first; Mowrey out on line drive to Janvrin; Olson struck out.

Third Inning.

Brooklyn—Immediately after second inning Carrigan and his men made protest to Umpire Deneen over what they called Smith's balk, throwing to first base. Deneen waved them away. Miller thrown out at first; Smith doubled to right field, but was out trying to stretch it. Johnson singled to center; Johnson out stealing. It looks like rain.

Boston—Scott tripled to left. The ball rolled against the fence and only the rebound saved its being a home run. Thomas out, first. Scott scored. Hooper safe on Cutshaw's error. Janvrin forces Hooper at second. One run, one hit, no errors.

Fourth Inning.

Brooklyn—Daubert walked. Myers hits into double. Wheat out at first.

Boston—Walker out at first. Hobbitzel passed to first. Lewis hits into double.

Fifth Inning.

Brooklyn—Cutshaw strikes out. Mowrey out at first. Olsen singled to left. Miller flied out to Hooper.

Boston—Gardner out at first. Scott out at first. Thomas doubled along left field line. Olson tripped him as he started for third and umpire moved Thomas to third. Olson made strong protest. Ruth struck out.

Sixth Inning.

Brooklyn—Smith out at first. Johnson walked. Johnson out stealing second. Daubert out at first.

Boston—Game delayed here while umpire chased photographers from the field. Hooper flies out, Myers making a great catch. Walker out at first.

Seventh Inning.

Brooklyn—Myers out at first. Wheat out at first. Cutshaw out, fly to first.

Boston—Hobbitzel walked. Lewis out, sacrificing Hobbitzel to second. Gardner flies out to Olson. Scott forced Hobby, Mowrey unassisted. No runs, not hits.

Eighth Inning.

Brooklyn—Mowrey singled to left. Olson sacrificed Mowrey to second. Olson out at first. Miller singled to center, went to second when Walker threw to plate. Smith hit to Scott. Mowrey thrown out at plate. Johnson out to Hobby.

Boston—Thomas out at first. Ruth out on fly to Wheat. Hooper flied to Johnson.

Ninth Inning.

Brooklyn—Daubert out at first. Myers flies out to Walker. Wheat out at first.

Boston—Janvrin safe, goes to second when Wheat fumbled. Walsh batting for Walker hits to Smith, threw to Mowrey, who fumbled, and Janvrin was safe at third. Hobbitzel flied out to Myers. Janvrin doubled at plate. Walsh goes to second. Lewis walks. Gardner out, foul to Miller.

Tenth Inning.

Brooklyn—Walsh playing center for Boston. Cutshaw out at first, Mowrey to Janvrin to Hobby. Olson walks. Miller out on line drive to Gardner.

Boston—Scott singled to right. Thomas sacrificed Scott to second. Ruth struck out. Hooper singled to infield. Mowrey got the ball and when Scott overran third threw to Olson who tagged out Scott.

Eleventh Inning.

Brooklyn—Smith out at first. Johnson out at first. Daubert fanned.

Boston—Janvrin popped out to Daubert. Walsh fouled out to Daubert. Hobbitzel walked. Lewis out at first.

Twelfth Inning.

Brooklyn—Myers struck out. Wheat flied out to Gardner. Cutshaw out at first.

Boston—Gardner flied out to Wheat. Scott walks. Thomas forced Scott at second. Ruth out at first.

Thirteenth Inning.

Brooklyn—Mowrey safe at first on Gardner's wild throw. Olson out on sacrifice. Miller flied out to Thomas. Smith flied to left, remarkable catch.

Boston—Hooper out at first. Janvrin out to Mowrey. Walsh out on 'out to Mowrey.

Fourteenth Inning.

Brooklyn—Johnson out at first. Daubert flied out to Walsh. Myers out at first.

Boston—Hobbitzel walked on first four. Lewis out on sacrifice. McNally running for Hobbitzel going to second. Gainer bats for Gardner, singled to left scoring McNally.

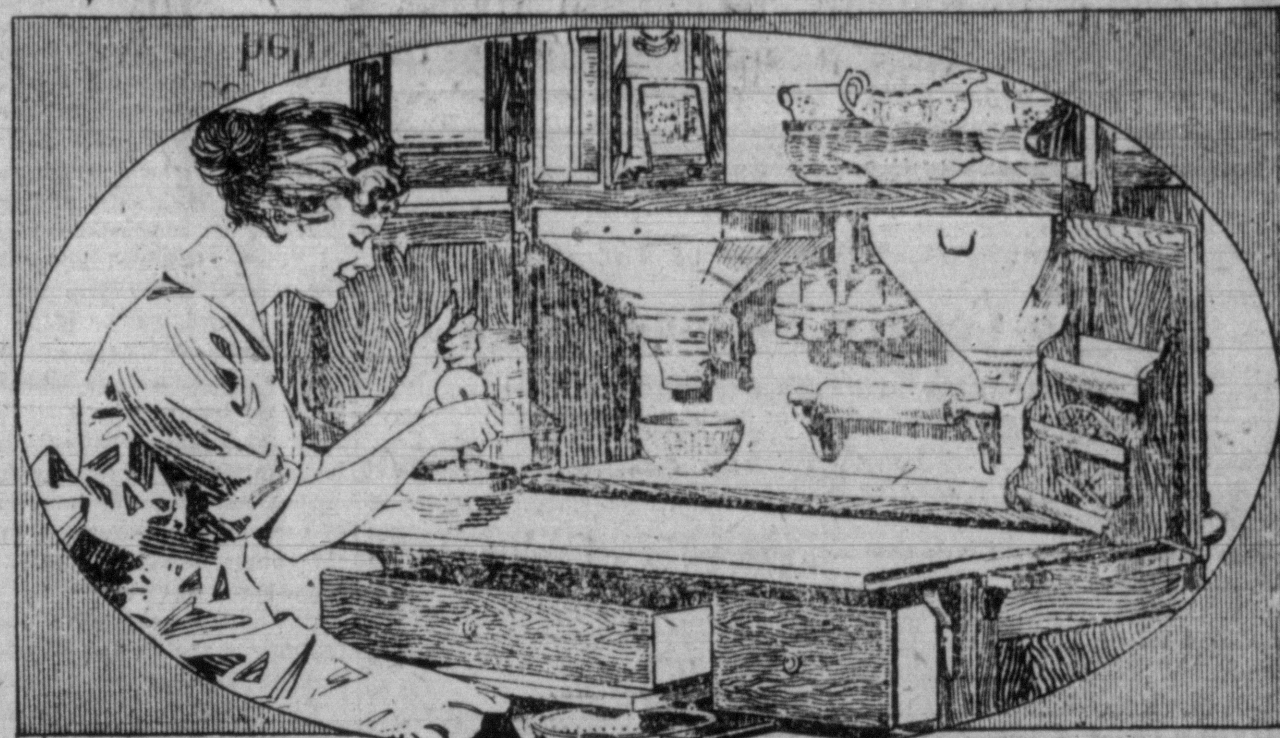
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